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In re Application of:

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Sir:

The following statement of relevance is submitted with the accompanying form PTO-1449.

Document <u>Designation</u>	<u>Relevance</u>
CA	Relates to optical transmission through sub- wavelength hole arrays.
СВ	Relates to laser action in strongly scattering media.
CC	Relates to quasi-phase-matched second harmonic generation tuning and tolerances.

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<u>Relevance</u>

CD

Relates to photonic crystals in the optical regime.

Full text copies and/or abstracts of the prior art of the above references are enclosed herewith. It is respectfully requested that this art be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified application and made of record therein.

Respectfully submitted,

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